

Gossey Lane Academy



Year 4 tasks to complete at home – Week 2

We use a number of online programmes to support the children's learning. The children have been given a copy of their login details.

www.readingeggs.co.uk

www.trockstars.co.uk

www.numbots.co.uk

www.purplemash.co.uk

<https://charanga.com/yumu>

Reading - Aim to do one a day

- Your child can continue to read a chapter from their home reading book or from the book they have borrowed from the classroom library.
- Listen to a story read, [Storytime](#). After listening to a story ask your child to summarise what the book was about. Ask your child to write a paragraph in their books about the story.
- Watch [Newsround](#) and find out what is happening in the world. What did you find out? Is there anything you need help understanding?
- Ask your child to predict what will happen next in the story they are reading. They can write this into their books.
- Ask your child to read a book on [Active learn](#) and complete the activities. These focus on comprehension skills.

Writing - Aim to do one a day

- Write a diary entry summarising the events from the day/week.
- Write an information report about their local area. Remember to include headings and subheadings.
- Choose an interesting building they have found out about and write a list of questions they would like to ask.
- Write a story about a stranger coming to their local area. What happens? Is it a good thing? Or does something terrible happen?
- Write a setting description to describe their local area. What is in their local area? What do they like/dislike about it and why?
- Take part in a writing [master class](#).

Spelling and Grammar - Aim to do one a day

- Practise the Year 3/4 for [Common Exception](#) words.
- Practise your spelling on [Spelling Shed](#)
- Practise your spelling on [Spelling Frame](#)
- Choose 5 Common Exception words. Write a synonym, antonyms, the meaning and an example of how to use the word in a sentence. Can the word be modified?
- Choose 5 Common Exception words and practise spelling them using green vowels. Write the word and every vowel complete in green, e.g. spelling.

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Maths - Aim to do one a day

- Working on [Numbots](#) - your child will have an individual login to access this.
- Play on [Hit the Button](#) - number bonds, halves, doubles and times tables.
- Practise times tables. You could test your child, try and get them to answer each question in around 6/7 seconds.
- Get a piece of paper and ask your child to show everything they know about **Subtraction**. This could be pictures, diagrams, explanations, methods etc. They can be as creative as they want to be.
- Ask children to measure items around the house using a ruler in centimetres. After they have measured 5 items ask them to present this information in the form of a bar chart.

There are other useful Maths websites that you can find activities on that you might like to try.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/z826n39>

<https://www.coolmathgames.com/>

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/7-11-years/ordering-and-sequencing-numbers>

Science	RE	PHSE
<p>Ask children to observe a piece of ice melting.</p> <p>Ask children to discuss and write the following questions in their books.</p> <p>Is ice a solid or a liquid? When the ice melted into water discuss that it changed state from a solid to a liquid.</p> <p>What happened when the ice started to melt? Why do you think this happened (prompt until your child discusses temperature- increase in temperature makes the ice melt).</p> <p>What would need to happen to turn the now liquid back into a solid?</p> <p>Discuss that heating and cooling materials can change their properties. Ask children to list some other materials which can change state when heated or cooled.</p>	<p>Why do we have Easter Eggs at Easter?</p> <p>Ask your child to research this and write a speech in their books.</p>	<p>Healthy Eating – Research healthy food.</p> <p>Ask your child to write a recipe for a healthy meal. They can also draw pictures.</p>

Art

Create a picture of a chosen landscape. You could create a picture of a rainforest, jungle or Arctic landscape. Create your picture using coloured pencil, felt tip pens, paint or even a collage.